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In re Application of :
Owen Jones :
Application No. 09/595,558 : DECISION GRANTING PETITION
Filed: March 8, 1999 : UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)
Attorney Docket No. 373US-C :
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This is a decision on the renewed petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed June 6, 2006, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

This application became abandoned for failure to timely pay the full amount of the issue fee due on or before July 19, 2005 as required by the Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due mailed April 19, 2005. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on December 14, 2005.

The petition satisfies the conditions for revival pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that (1) the reply in the form of payment of the \$1,400 issue fee; (2) the \$1,500 petition fee; and (3) the required statement of unintentional delay have been received. Accordingly, the issue fee is accepted as having been unintentionally delayed.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3218.

The application file is being referred to Publishing Division.

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